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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted***Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
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Applicants: K. KAIYA, et al

Serial No.: 10/774,470

Filing Date: February 10, 2004

For: EXTERNAL STORAGE AND DATA RECOVERY METHOD FOR
EXTERNAL STORAGE AS WELL AS PROGRAM

SUBMISSION OF DECLARATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.63

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Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, which was originally filed on February 10, 2004 without a Declaration, and responsive to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted dated July 30, 2004, please find attached hereto a Declaration for submission under 37 CFR §1.63, executed by each of the inventors in the above-identified application.

A Credit Card Payment Form authorizing the requisite \$130.00 fee is attached. Should any additional fees become due in connection with the filing of this Declaration, please charge Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (Case No. 501.43507X00).

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